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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR § 1.121)

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR § 1.121), dated June 14, 2006, in the above-identified application.

The Amendment filed on June 8, 2006, was said to be non-compliant . In accordance with the instructions in the Notice, a new listing of claims is submitted below.

This Amendment is believed to be timely submitted. It is believed that no fee is due; however, in the event a fee is required, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 13-3723.